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SOUTH CAROLINA

Meeting community needs in South Carolina. More than **100,000** people of all ages and backgrounds are helping to solve problems and strengthen communities through **68** national service projects across South Carolina. Serving with national and community nonprofit organizations, faith-based groups, schools, and local agencies, these citizens tutor and mentor children, coordinate after-school programs, build homes, conduct neighborhood patrols, organize local homeland security efforts, respond to disasters, and recruit and manage volunteers. This year, the Corporation for National and Community Service will provide more than $**10,800,000** to support South Carolina communities through three major programs:

Senior Corps: More than **5,800** seniors in South Carolina contribute their time and talents in one of three programs: **Foster Grandparents,** who serve one-on-one with more than **3,400** young people who have special needs; **Senior Companions,** who help more than **600** other seniors live independently in their homes; and **RSVP** volunteers, who work with more than **700** local groups to meet a wide range of community needs, including safety patrols with local police departments, environmental projects, tutoring and mentoring, and responding to natural disasters.

AmeriCorps: This year, more than **700 individuals** are serving in South Carolina communities as AmeriCorps members. In return, the members receive an education award of up to $4,725 to help pay for college or pay back student loans. To date, more than **1,500** South Carolina residents have qualified for education awards totaling more than $**7,000,000**. Two-thirds of AmeriCorps grants are made by the South Carolina Commission on National and Community Service. National nonprofits, such as City Year and the Boys and Girls Clubs of America, make other assignments. Other members serve in AmeriCorps*VISTA, and AmeriCorps*NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps).

Learn and Serve America: Learn and Serve America provides schools, colleges, and community organizations with grants for service-learning. These grants help make it possible for more than **94,000** South Carolina students to meet community needs while improving their civic and academic skills and learning the habits of good citizenship.

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At a Glance

Senior Corps	Projects	Participants	Funding
RSVP	10	5,164	$552,812
Foster Grandparent Program	6	475	$1,768,892
Senior Companion Program	4	232	$928,389
Senior Corps Total	20	5,871	$3,250,093

AmeriCorps	Program Sites	Members[1]	Funding[2]
AmeriCorps*State	9	174	$1,613,570
AmeriCorps*National	10	59	$408,856
AmeriCorps*VISTA	22	94	$1,334,800
AmeriCorps Promise Fellows	1	2	$41,400
AmeriCorps Homeland Security	2	74	$318,092
AmeriCorps*NCCC [3]	1	311	$3,242,324
AmeriCorps Total	45	714	$6,959,042

Learn and Serve America	Grantees	Subgrantees	Participants	Funding
School-based programs	2	24	89,049	$544,368
Higher Education programs[4]	0	1	1,000	$0
Community-based programs	1	8	4,911	$136,000
Learn and Serve America Total	3	33	94,960	$680,368

Total National Service Resources	68	33	101,545	$10,889,503

[1] This figure represents the number of enrolled members, as of March 15th, 2003. Many AmeriCorps programs have additional slots which may be filled during the 2002-2003 program year.

[2] This figure does not include the education award that each AmeriCorps member receives after completing a term of service. To date, more than **1,500** South Carolina residents have qualified for education awards totaling more than **$7,000,000**.

[3] South Carolina is served by the AmeriCorps*NCCC campus located in Charleston. In the past year, members based at this campus have performed dozens of service projects in South Carolina. The members also serve in Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Lousiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, Tennessee, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands.

[4] This program is a subgrantee of a national organization based in another state. State-by-state funding breakdowns are not avilable at this time, so funding is accrued to that program's home state.

Information on the 2002-2003 program year current as of March 2003.

Primary City or Region	Sponsor Organization Program Name *(If different)*	Number of Volunteers	Program Type
Aiken	Aiken/Barnwell CAC Aiken & Barnwell Counties FGP	115	Foster Grandparents
Aiken	Aiken/Barnwell CAC Aiken & Barnwell Counties RSVP	200	RSVP
Charleston	Charleston Area Senior Citizen's Services Charleston County FGP	78	Foster Grandparents
Charleston	American Red Cross - Carolina Low County Carolina Low Country RSVP	1,482	RSVP
Charleston	Charleston Area Senior Citizens Services Charleston Area SCP	49	Senior Companions
Chester	Senior Services Chester County Chester County SCP	39	Senior Companions
Clinton	Senior Options, Inc. Laurens County FGP/Senior Options	70	Foster Grandparents
Columbia	Save the Children Field Office Save The Children FGP - SC/GA	80	Foster Grandparents
Columbia	Senior Resources, Inc. Columbia FGP	95	Foster Grandparents
Columbia	Senior Resources, Inc. Richland / Lexington RSVP	821	RSVP
Columbia	Senior Resources, Inc. SCP of the Midlands	63	Senior Companions
Florence	Senior Citizen Assocation In Florence COA Florence County RSVP	320	RSVP
Greenville	Senior Action, Inc. Greenville RSVP	650	RSVP
Kingstree	Vital Aging of Williamsburg County, Inc. Williamsburg FGP	37	Foster Grandparents
McCormick	Mccormick County Coa Senior Center Mccormick RSVP	134	RSVP
Newberry	Newberry County on Aging RSVP of Newberry County	311	RSVP
Orangeburg	OCAB CAA Ocab Counties SCP	81	Senior Companions
Rock Hill	York County Council on Aging York County RSVP	400	RSVP
Spartanburg	Senior Centers of Spartanburg County Spartanburg RSVP	496	RSVP

Senior Corps in South Carolina

Primary City or Region	Sponsor Organization Program Name *(If different)*	Number of Volunteers	Program Type
Sumter	Santee Senior Services Sumter County RSVP	350	RSVP
Total Number of National Senior Service Corps Volunteers		5,871	

AmeriCorps in South Carolina

Primary City or Region	Sponsor Organization Program Name *(if different)*	Number of Enrolled Members	Program Type
Statewide	South Carolina Military Department SC AmeriCorps Defense Brigade	74	AmeriCorps Homeland
Statewide	Central Atlantic Habitat for Humanity	10	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Statewide	Save the Children	19	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Statewide	Save the Children	11	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Anderson	Crisis Ministries of Anderson	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Bennettsville	Marlboro Literacy Council	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Charleston	National Association of Service & Conservation Corps Youth Service Charleston	8	AmeriCorps*National
Charleston	University of Notre Dame Alliance for Catholic Education	4	AmeriCorps*National
Charleston	AmeriCorps*NCCC South East Region Campus	311	AmeriCorps*NCCC
Charleston	Palmetto Community Hope Foundation YouthBuild Charleston	10	AmeriCorps*State
Chesnee	Student Conservation Association [1] Cowpens National Battlefield	0	AmeriCorps*National
Columbia	City Year Columbia	13	AmeriCorps*National
Columbia	South Carolina Department of Education AmeriCorps Promise Fellows	2	AmeriCorps Promise Fellows
Columbia	City Year South Carolina City Year Columbia	15	AmeriCorps*State
Columbia	Richland School District Two Richland Two Americorps	19	AmeriCorps*State
Columbia	Commun-I-Care	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Columbia	Eau Claire Community Council	4	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Columbia	Greater Columbia Literacy Council	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Columbia	James R. Clark Memorial Sickle Cell Foundation	9	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Columbia	Lutheran Family Services in the Carolinas	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Columbia	SEEDCO HBCU	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Easley	Habitat for Humanity International Central Atlantic Habitat*AmeriCorps - South Carolina	15	AmeriCorps*State
Easley	School District of Pickens County Project TEAM	13	AmeriCorps*State
Edgefield	Edgefield County Schools Building the Bridge	22	AmeriCorps*State
Florence	Boys & Girls Clubs of the Pee Dee Area	4	AmeriCorps*National
Florence	Boys & Girls Clubs of the Pee Dee Area Hartsville Boys & Girls Club	2	AmeriCorps*National
Gable	Mayesville Educational and Industrial Institute	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA

AmeriCorps in South Carolina

Primary City or Region	Sponsor Organization Program Name *(if different)*	Number of Enrolled Members	Program Type
Goose Creek	Trident Literacy Association	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Greenville	Greenville Literacy Associaiton	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Hartsville	Communities in Schools - Darlington	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Hopkins	Student Conservation Association [1] Congaree Swamp National Monument	0	AmeriCorps*National
Kingstree	Save the Children Federation	4	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Lancaster	Lancaster County School District The B*E*S*T Tri-county AmeriCorps Program	16	AmeriCorps*State
Laurens	Laurens County Literacy	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Mccoll	Mccoll Elementary/Middle School	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Moncks Corner	Trident Literacy Association	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
N. Charleston	Boys and Girls Clubs of the Trident Area	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
North Charleston	American Red Cross - Carolina Lowcountry [1] Homeland Security Program	0	AmeriCorps Homeland
Orangeburg	Family Health Centers Community HealthCorps	5	AmeriCorps*National
Rock Hill	Winthrop University Winthrop AmeriCorps: Empowerment Through	36	AmeriCorps*State
Spartanburg	AmeriCorps Bonner Leaders Program Wofford College	16	AmeriCorps*National
Spartanburg	University of South Carolina - Spartanburg USCS AmeriCorps	28	AmeriCorps*State
Spartenburg	AmeriCorps Bonner Leaders Program Converse College	7	AmeriCorps*National
Summerville	Trident Literacy Association	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Sumter	Sumter School District Two	9	AmeriCorps*VISTA

Total Number of Enrolled AmeriCorps Members   714

This figure represents the number of enrolled members, as of March, 2003. Many AmeriCorps programs have additional slots which may be filled during 2003.

[1] This program has not yet enrolled AmeriCorps members for the 2002-2003 program year.

Learn and Serve America in South Carolina

Primary City or Region	Sponsor Organization Program Name *(if different)*	Students	In-State Subgrantees[1]	Program Type
Statewide	South Carolina Department of Education CHESP Grant and South Carolina has CLASS	89,031	24	School-based
Clemson	American Association for Colleges of Teacher Ed. National Dropout Prevention Center	1,000	1	Higher Education
Columbia	SC Commission on National & Community Service Building Recreation for Intergenerational Comm.	4,911	8	Community-Based
Rock Hill	The Catawba Indian Nation Tribal Environmental Traditions	18	0	School-based
Total Number of Learn and Serve Participants		94,960	33	

[1] If the subgrantees of a parent program are listed on this page, they are not also counted in that parent program's subgrant column. Also, subgrantees show a "1" in this column, which refers to themselves.

Through the **President's Student Service Challenge,** students in kindergarten through college receive presidential recognition for their outstanding community service. Students who serve 100 hours or more are eligible for a **President's Student Service Award**. Since 1999, more than 3,807 South Carolina students have received this award. In the **President's Student Service Scholarship** program, two students from each high school may receive a $1,000 college scholarship for outstanding service to the community. Since 1997, more than 339 South Carolina students have received these scholarships.

The **National Service-Learning Leader Schools** program recognizes middle and high schools for their excellence in service-learning. D.R. Hill Middle School in Duncan, Britton's Neck High School in Gresham, Pickens Middle School, Wren Middle School in Piedmont, Chapin High School, Summit Parkway Middle School in Columbia, Palmetto Middle School in Williamston, South Carolina Governor's School for the Arts and Humanities in Greenville, Spring Valley High School in Columbia, Pickens Senior High School, and Wren High School in Piedmont have been recognized as Leader Schools.

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